

Cadenza

MU CONCERT WIND ENSEMBLE REUNION

In 1953, Professor Bertram Francis assembled a select group of student instrumentalists to perform challenging band literature. The CWE reunion not only marks the 40th anniversary of the ensemble, but also honors the leadership of Bertram Francis and Donald Stanley. Coincidentally, the MU chapters of Kappa Kappa Psi and Tau Beta Sigma will be observing their 25 years of service. Cindy Cox-Iffland ('77), Laura Lovich ('78), Jim Meckley ('71), and Steve Williams ('78) have set as their main focus to assemble as many past CWE members as possible. They have reached about 650 former members and they are intent on having a very large reunion, so if you played in the CWE for one semester or more, do come and enjoy the reunion.

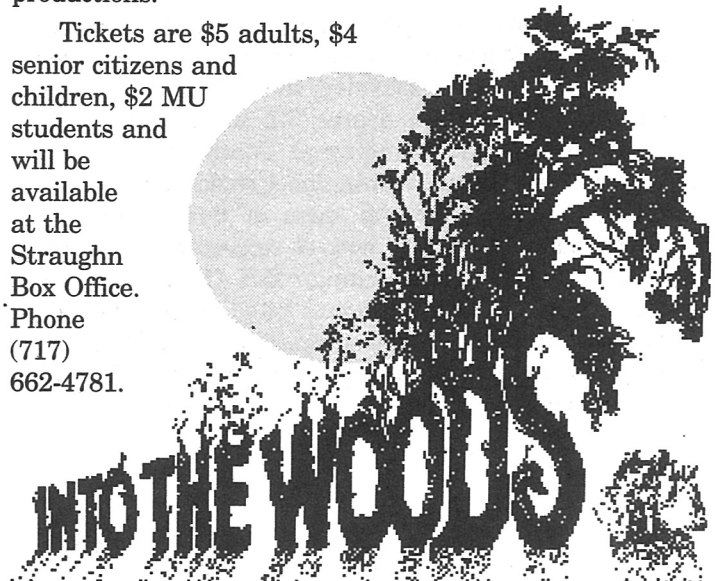
Cindy Cox-Iffland, 422 North Lake St., Litchfield, CT 06759; *Laura Lovich*, 5 Woods Run, Farmington, CT 06032; *Jim Meckley*, 6924 Hutches Rd., Bath, NY 14810; *Steve Williams*, 3102 Greenwood Glen Dr., Kingwood, TX 77345.

Weekend Schedule April 2-4

Fri., April 2 7:30-9 p.m.	Welcoming Reception, President's residence
Sat., April 3 8:30-10 a.m.	Check-in and Continental Breakfast, Butler Music Center
11 a.m.-Noon	Rehearsal of Alumni Band(s)
12-2 p.m.	Lunch (on your own). Practice rooms, fingering charts and lip massage will be available at this time.
2-4 p.m.	Rehearsal of Alumni Band(s)
6-7 p.m.	Cocktails and socializing. Lodge On The Green, Corning, NY (cash bar)
7-9 p.m.	Dinner and Presentations
9-11 p.m.	Dancing and more socializing
11-???	Free Time
Sun., April 4 6:30-7:30 a.m.	Optional rehearsal conducted by the Reverend Doctor Father Rabbi Mohammed O'Cready.
12:30 p.m.	Warm-up in Band Room
1 p.m.	Concert in Steadman Theatre

The MU departments of Theatre and Music will present Sondheim's musical *"Into The Woods"* on the hallowed boards of Straughn Hall on February 24-27, 8 p.m. each day. It brings to musical life Cinderella, Jack and the Beanstalk, Little Red Riding Hood and other fairy-tale characters. This production will again team the considerable talents of Michael Crum (Assistant Professor, Theatre) as Designer and Director, and Dr. Youngsuk Kim (Assistant Professor, Music) as Music Director and Conductor. In recent years they have co-produced such hits as "Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat," "The Mikado," "The Music Man," and "Nunsense," in addition to opera workshop productions.

Tickets are \$5 adults, \$4 senior citizens and children, \$2 MU students and will be available at the Straughn Box Office. Phone (717) 662-4781.



BAND AND ORCHESTRA FESTIVAL

MU's Music Department will host the 11th annual *Orchestra And Concert Band Festival* on March 23-26, 1993. As a non-competitive event, there will be no attempt to rate or score ensemble performances or to establish particular grade levels of music. For complete information, contact David Borsheim at (717) 662-4713.

MUSIC EDUCATION CONFERENCE

The Music Department is planning a special conference on Saturday, April 24 from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. in Butler Music Center. We are in the process of securing the services of a guest lecturer for this event and we ask that you contact Professor Robert Amchin at (717) 662-4712/4710 regarding details. All music educators and interested parties are invited to attend.

CONCERT CHOIR

The MU Concert Choir, under the direction of Dr. Peggy Dettwiler, will tour Northeastern PA April 13-15. On Tuesday the 13th they will sing at Elk Lake High School in Dimock, PA; Valley Central H.S. in Montgomery, NY (Tom Lawler, '90). On the 14th they perform at Wallenpaupack H.S. (Alice Welker, MU Masters, '70), and at the First Presbyterian Church of Clarks Summit. On Thursday, April 15 be sure to hear them at the PMEA State Conference at the Episcopal Church in Wilkes-Barre, PA at 1:45 p.m.

MU JAZZ TOUR

The MU Jazz Ensemble took four days out of Christmas vacation to play at high schools this past January 5-8. Starting at Wellsboro H.S. (Charlie Jacobson, '68), they then traveled to Reading H.S. (Glen Brumbach, '79, masters degree '92) and Bensalem H.S.; the 7th found them swinging at Council Rock H.S. in Newtown, PA and at Wilmington Friends School (Mike Scott, '91). The 8th found them at Brandywine H.S. and the band played its hottest concert ever at Mark Appiotti's ('88) Harry S. Truman H.S. On the tour they played concerts, conducted jazz band clinics, played a dance gig, and enjoyed the hospitality of host families. This particular tour featured the music of the late Woody Herman.

MU JAZZ FESTIVAL

Dr. Michael Galloway, Director of the MU Jazz Ensemble, has announced the 11th annual **Mansfield University High School Jazz Festival**. Sponsored by the Music Department and the MU chapter of the International Association of Jazz Educators, it will begin on the morning of March 6 for a day of jazz band adjudication and clinics, followed by an evening concert featuring the outstanding H.S. jazz band of the day, the MU Jazz Ensemble, and this year's guest artists, the Lew Soloff Quartet. Registration deadline is February 8, 1993. Call Dr. Galloway (717) 662-4718 for complete information.

HOWARD R. AND MARGARET BELLOW DOUD SCHOLARSHIP

The Music Department is pleased to announce a new \$5000 scholarship for a freshman or transfer student. Contact Dr. Joyce Wunderlich at (717) 662-4710 for complete information.

DISTRICT EIGHT READING BAND

More than 50 high school musicians joined the MU Concert Wind Ensemble in a special reading session Sunday, Jan. 10. Students from 15 high schools took advantage of the Wind Ensemble's invitation to rehearse music they would play in a few days at the PMEA District 8 Band Festival. David Borsheim, Wind Ensemble director, and Joseph Murphy, Mountie Marching Band and Symphonic Band director, served as conductors for the rehearsal.

NASM REPORT

The National Association of Schools of Music Commission on Accreditation has voted to continue MU in good standing with the following degree listing: BA in Music, BM in Music Education, BM with Elective Studies in Business, BM in Music Therapy, BM in Performance and MS in Music. Following a lengthy review process, NASM has fully renewed MU. As a member of NASM, the institution is responsible for maintaining the high standards of the Music Department.

Alumni Notes

Dennis Ritz ('69) is Professor of Music at Shippensburg University where he directs the University-Community Orchestra, Chamber Ensembles and oboe. During his summers he teaches oboe at the New England Music Camp in Oakland, ME. Before coming to Shippensburg, he taught at Montrose, PA and Oakland, ME where he wrote and published two courses in beginning instrumental study. He has served as a clinician, adjudicator and guest conductor, and he has taught oboe at Colby College, University of Maine, and Bowdoin College. Dennis was awarded a fellowship at Michigan State University where he earned his D.M.A. in Orchestral Conducting. He is a member of Phi Kappa Phi, National Band Association (past state chair) and other professional organizations. Dennis and his wife Barbara Cuffey ('74) are active in church work. They share an interest in collecting Victorian antiques and art, especially clocks, lamps and Gutmann prints. They have a son, nine-year old David and reside at 3451 Orrstown Road, Orrstown, PA 17244.

Terry Patrick ('88) exchanged wedding vows with Brain Scott Mingle last April 4, 1992 in Cortland, NY. Terry received her degree in Music Merchandising at MU and she is employed by Cornell University, Ithaca, NY. Mr. and Mrs. Mingle reside at 3942 Route 11, Cortland, NY.

Jeff Dent ('81) is the Band Director at Jersey Shore H.S., where he did his student teaching way back when. His band has been recently selected to march at Disney World in the Mainstreet Parade on Jan. 23. He and his wife, Jane Strunck (MU Art, 1981), have two children, Tommie, age 9, and Susie, 8.

James Meckley III ('71), besides serving as one of the organizers of the CWE Reunion, is the band director at Corning-Painted Post East H.S. and a member of the Southern Tier All Star Jazz Band. Joining in music with lawyers, auto parts salesmen, medical technologists, retired letter carriers and music teachers, he and 15 others share a common passion:

big-band music. The members range in age from 25 to 65 and they play at hospitals, hotels, VA clubs, and recreation halls. Trumpeter Jeff Stempien ('73) says, "Our performances are our rehearsals, we try to learn at least one new tune each show. If we like it we keep it." Other MU graduates who like to jazz it up with Jim and Jeff include Doug Hawk ('74), trombone of Livonia, NY and Rich Rohrbach ('76) of Bath. A good time is had by all.

Jamie Cafolla ('88) teaches music at Cohen Elementary School in Elmira Heights, NY. Her K-6 music groups performed a Christmas concert that parents are still raving about.

Those of you wishing to write to **James Stabile ('63)**: James Stabile, Director Lower School, American School of Madrid, Carretera de Humera, Km2, Aranaca 28023 Madrid, Spain, Apartado 80, 28080 Madrid. Jim has recently moved to Madrid from Lahore, Pakistan. We'll try to keep up with him.

On February 20, 1993, **Jay Wilson ('86)** will exchange wedding vows with Louisa Mazzoni. Born in Florence, Italy, Louisa met Jay in the French horn section of the student orchestra at Manhattan School of Music. Louisa and Jay will honeymoon in London, Paris and Florence where Jay will learn Italian. A free-lance NY horn player, Jay has played in Broadway musicals, most recently as first horn in the pit orchestra for "The Music of Andrew Lloyd Webber," which since October of 1990 he has performed over 750 times. At the request of Mr. Webber, Jay was hired to play first horn for the national touring company of "Phantom of the Opera" through at least 1995. The show plays major cities for several weeks each and starting next July 25 you can catch Jay and the Phantom at the Benendum Center in Pittsburgh where the show plays for 10 weeks. Jay and Louisa will continue to call 850 Amsterdam Ave., Apt. 7C, N.Y., NY 10025 their permanent address.

Andy Stump ('89), Music Education, is working with a mission in Haiti called "Water For Life." They dig and service wells in the dry southern peninsula of politically troubled Haiti. The mission also supports a school, which is where Andy fits in. With 140 kids, 8 Haitian teachers, a Haitian Director, Andy is the overseer of the school, making sure they have supplies, and helping the teachers to be more successful. He spends afternoons teaching English to adult classes and much of his time is spent using what he learned at MU to teach people how to read music — Haitians love to sing. Musical terms are all in French, so they all know their do-re-mi. Mansfield's music continues to spread across the globe. Our best wishes, and good luck, Andy.

Oops! The Fall issue of the *Cadenza* misspelled Carolyn (Czirok) Henry's (1980) name, but was otherwise perfect.

Lisa LaMachia ('85) exchanged wedding vows with Marty Roeseler last August 1. Lisa is the Choral Director at Medina High School where she teaches all choral groups in grades 6-12, along with high school Music Theory classes. She received her Masters in Music Education from the University of Buffalo. Now in her seventh year at Medina, she says she's loved every minute of it and wishes to express her gratitude to MU for such a fantastic, well-rounded education. Lisa (LaMachia) Roeseler, 4171 Day Rd., Lockport, NY 14094 (716) 434-1639. Our warmest congratulations, Lisa.

Duane Wright ('85) is Band Director at West Perry High School in Ellitsburg, PA. Last September 4, Erin Elizabeth was born to Mr. and Mrs. Wright. Send congratulations and letters to the Wrights at RR1, Box 476B, Landisberg, PA 17040. Another round of warmest congratulations, Duane!

PMEA CONFERENCE

This year's PMEA Conference would be a great place for many of you to meet some of your old, and some of our new professors. We will have our booth and an evening reception at 10:15 p.m. on Friday, April 16. The conference takes place April 15-17 in Wilkes Barre at the Genetti and Ramada hotels.

We are in the process of setting our entering freshman class for Fall, 1993. It would help us a great deal if you could refer someone you know is interested in music. Our remaining audition dates are February 1 & 15, March 8, and April 19; all are on Mondays and start at 9 a.m. or 1 p.m.

SUMMER MUSIC CAMPS

Youth Music Camps for ages 8-14 will be held July 18-31 for those wishing the two week camp, and July 25-31 for those interested in coming for one week. Joyce Wunderlich and her helpers have made this an event that we are all proud of. Many new features are being planned, so write to her c/o The Music Department, or call her at (717) 662-4710 for complete information.

Our High School Music Camp is scheduled for July 10-17. Again, contact the Music Department for information.

ORFF SCHULWERK

The Music Department will continue to offer Orff Schulwerk leading to certification at Level I and II. Scheduled for July 12-13, 1993, this three credit graduate course features demonstrations with children and percussion pedagogy. Lorraine Neill will be our clinician for Level I and our own Professor Robert Amchin for Level II. Brian Burnett, movement specialist, and Martha Crowell, recorder, complete our summer Orff Schulwerk faculty. Contact Rob Amchin at (717) 662-4712 for further details.

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